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Food Revolts.

It is an exceptional day at the University of Chicago when some one is not in a state of revolt against something or other or nothing, as the case may be. Sometimes it is the professors and against it is the male students. Now it is the coeds. The girls have risen against the menu of the dining-rooms and demand the exclusion of toast, eggs, hash, and beefsteak from the program of the table, as if toast were not the best form that bread can take, eggs an ideal breakfast food, beefsteak the prince of meats, and hash the highest achievement of culinary skill. If the girls had revolted against cold toast, stale eggs, tough steak, or amateur hash, or hash of suspicious ingredients, no one would have blamed them. They do not seem to realize that they are furnished with a list of confections, for the combination is worthy of that name, the absence of which the vast majority of people, headworkers or handworkers, would consider to be a calamity.

It is said that the coeds are allowed to visit their friends on Sunday. That is probably the secret of their dissatisfaction. They leave the cloisters where they are fed upon "good old" hash, eat "her down," and the other articles of diet which never disturb sleep nor disarrange digestion, but leave them with clear heads, and go out among their friends to feed upon croquettes, salads, angel food, chocolate eclairs, and other such feminine absurdities. Then they return to their dining halls dissatisfied with their homely but wholesome fare, yearning for the fleshpots and syllabubs of the gay world. They do not stop to consider that the higher education is a matter of "plain living and high thinking," and that nothing is more conducive to the "sound mind in the sound body" than good beefsteak well cooked and honest hash well browned. As to the monotony of their diet, is not everything that is right and proper monotonous?

The youthful warriors at the Orchard Lake Military Academy are also in open revolt against their food. They do not complain so much of the quality as of the quantity. One weak little warrior, who weighed 225 pounds some time ago, has become alarmed now that he finds he does not weigh much more than 200 pounds. As there is a possibility he may become mere skin and bone if he is a cadet long enough, his comrades have demanded the removal of all the present officers of the institution and the substitution in their places of men who will give them all they want to eat. The youthful gormandizers of Orchard Lake should remember, however, that such a course is not conducive to marshall success. If they are ambitious to become warriors and to hand their names down to posterity they must be content with whatever fare they can get, thankful it is no worse, be it much or little. In their future campaigns they will have to come down to bacon and hardtack, and sometimes not much of either. Now is the time they should begin accustoming themselves to the possibility of scant rations, instead of expecting to feed on the fat of the land and lots of it.—Chicago Tribune.



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Douglas, the shoe man, who spends more than \$100,000 a year for newspaper advertising, makes this affirmation: "Any man who has an article of merit or any man who has a business in a good location who will advertise and keep on advertising is bound to more than get his money back and to become successful and wealthy."

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The forts at Dover (England) have been recently rearmored with quickfiring, long-range, 6-inch wire wound guns. During the experiment, however, five of them were discovered to be defective, and were immediately removed to Woolwich, and others mounted. Great secrecy has been maintained regarding the nature of the defects, but it is supposed to have existed in the breech. These unwieldy weapons have to be hauled from the landing stage in the harbor to the summit of the cliffs, a total distance of two miles.

Seasonable Sayings.

The new year that very seldom gets turned over is the one in the diary.

Some men claim that they see the old year out and the new one in by getting so drunk that they can't see anything.

By New Year the silver plating wears off many a Christmas present.

A good beginning is half the battle except in the case of keeping a diary.

The new date is as hard to remember as the new leaf.

Even though the arctic explorer never discovers the north pole he deserves credit, for he always keeps a diary.

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Many humorous features were developed in the taking of the census of 1900. One question was indicated by the remark "length of residence," which was expected to show how long the people living in various localities at the time of the census had been there. When the reports came in it was found that many of these queries were answered in figures in this way: 20x40, 15 30 etc. The enumerators had gone around with a foot rule and had measured the length of the residences of the people they counted.

For the Teeth.

Mix one ounce of charcoal, as much quinine as will lie on a dime, five grains of magnesia and a few drops of attar of roses. Both a soft and a hard brush should be used, and the upper teeth brushed from the top downwards, the lower teeth from the bottom upwards. The inside of the teeth require to be brushed in the same way. Besides the usual brushing twice a day, the teeth should be brushed with soap three or four times a week. This is not at first pleasant, but it is very beneficial to the teeth. Soap is an alkaline preparation besides being antiseptic, and it also helps to remove the tartar.

It is stated that a movement is on foot to do away with automobile shows. The reason for the step is to be found in the experience of bicycle manufacturers. As long as a few of the leading makers engaged spaces at the show, all of the others felt obligated to be represented. This results in a heavy expense. A plan has been formulated for starting a train of automobiles around the country, beginning next March. The train will visit all cities of consequence and remain from one to four days in each, in order that the residents may inspect the automobiles and have their merits explained to them. It is thought that this will benefit the industry to a greater degree than can be accomplished by holding shows, and the expense would not be greater than in going from one show to another.

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Finger Nails and Gentility.

In China long fingernails are a mark of gentility. They are an indication that their possessor is a man of leisure. When they are excessively long, approaching the dignity of talons, as they sometimes do, they indicate that the gentleman—or lady—attached to them has passed the mere gentility line, and his become a full-fledged aristocrat. In Annam, where the finger nail habit has persisted for hundreds and perhaps thousands of years, these signs-manual of extreme gentility sometimes attain by careful cultivation the length of six or eight inches and instances are on record where a length of sixteen or eighteen inches has been attained.

This custom prevails generally throughout what is known as Indo-China, which includes Siam, Burma, Cambodia, Laos and the Shan states, etc. It is also common throughout the Chinese empire more especially in the southern provinces.

It is said that some of the Annamese noblemen never have their nails cut from the time of birth. In such cases, of course, the poor creatures are practically helpless and have to rely on servants entirely for assistance in the discharge of the most common offices, being unable to either clothe or feed themselves.—New York Sun.

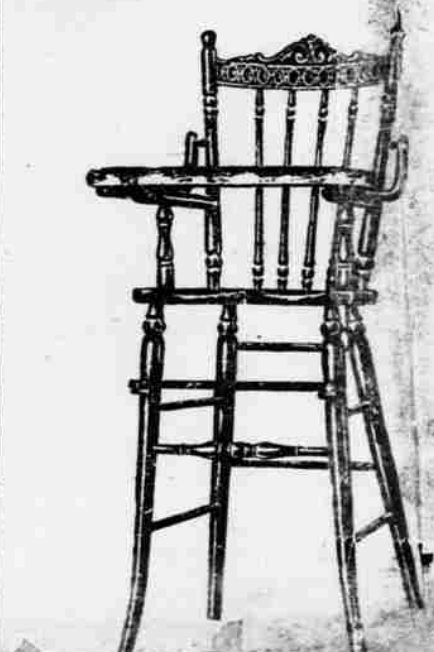
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The London Lancet complains that the ordinary closed cab is a distinct menace to health. It says they are the undoubted source of infection; microbes infesting the cushions and the mats on the floor and the air might easily contain pathogenic organisms left by a previous user. Hansom cabs are considered to be decidedly more sanitary, but they are considered as a kind of death trap in wet weather, when those riding in them are completely enclosed by windows and aprons, making it impossible to release themselves in an emergency.

The long looked for trial of the third-rail system on the New York elevated roads was recently carried out on the Second Avenue branch, when six trips were made between 54th Street and 92d Street. The trial train consisted of six cars, the two end cars being each equipped with four motors. The two motor cars were arranged so that the cabs were respectively at the front and rear ends of the train. The trip from 92d Street to 54th Street, a distance of thirty-eight blocks, was run in four minutes, at a speed of thirty miles an hour. The superiority of the motors over the old steam locomotives was shown in the rapid acceleration; and the substitution of the air-brake for the old vacuum brake was noticeable in the greater rapidity with which the stops were made. Judging from the results achieved on the trials, it is expected that the trains will run from the Battery to 155th Street on the Sixth Avenue line in forty minutes, instead of forty-nine minutes, which was the time taken under the old system. The new and the old cabs are similar in appearance, the former being somewhat wider. In place of the old steam heating and oil lighting, they will of course, be lighted and heated by electricity.

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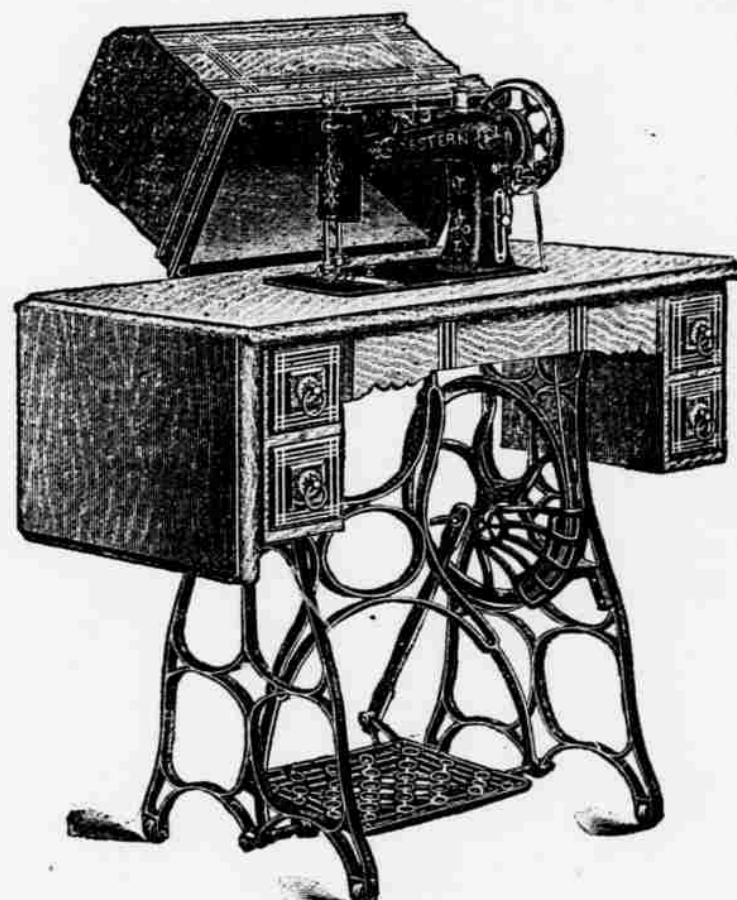
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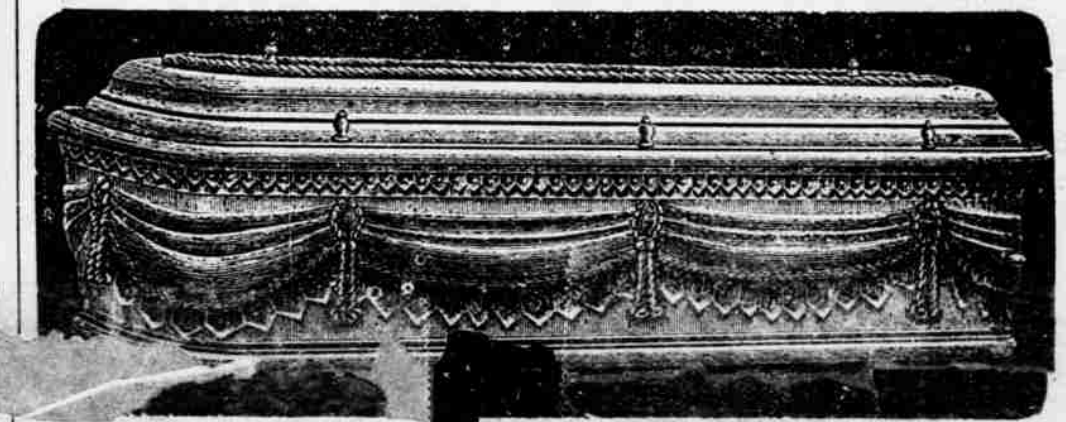
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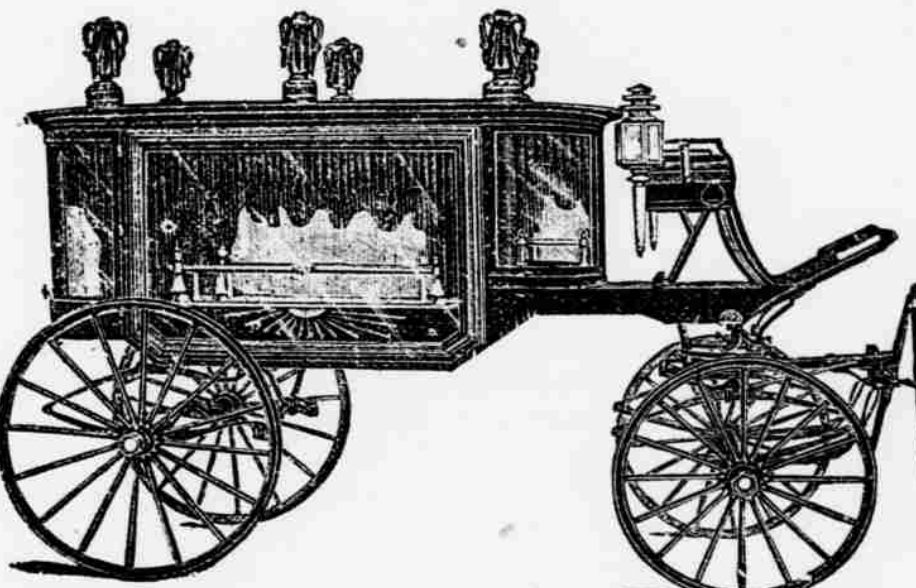


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